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THE WEEKLY COLONIST.

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Arrival of the "Santa Cruz."

TWO DAYS' LATER FROM CALIFORNIA AND OREGON.

The steamship Santa Cruz, Capt. Staples, arrived on Christmas day from Portland, having connected at that port with the Pacific, which latter vessel left San Francisco on the 17th inst., to which date we have papers. The news generally is unimportant, and no Pony had arrived from the East.

PASSENGERS.
Sarah Walron, Mrs. Hamm, Thos. Golding, Mrs. Lewis, Rev. Mr. Vehey, Mr. Francis, Mr. Hawley, Church and Wadron.

Oregon.

The Portland Times is now a daily issue; and we take from it the following items:

The news by the stage (Overland Mail) of the 21st, was from Sacramento up to Dec. 12th. It had all been anticipated by the steamers. The roads are represented to be very bad. The rains have been severe. The river has risen very rapidly during the last 48 hours.

The Stark Dramatic Troupe have returned to Portland and are again playing at Stewart's Theatre. The Times alludes to the imperfect manner in which Mr. Stark is sustained by the remainder of the company.

A steam ferry-boat, to be run between the Dalles and Rockland, is being constructed.

The "Ish" quartz lead in Southern Oregon has given out. It was only a "pocket."

The Pacific left Portland on the 22d for San Francisco.

The barks Samuel Merritt and Industry have arrived from San Francisco. Advertiser.

The conductor of the Overland Mail from Humboldt Bay to San Francisco, reports a fight on the south branch of Eel River, in which two white men and seven Indians were killed. A cabin on Armstrong ranch had been attacked, and cattle driven off by Indians.—Ibid.

A queer accident occurred at Salem on the 16th, to a daughter of a Mrs. Eldridge. An old gun-barrel was kept in the house and used as a poker; and while the child was stirring the fire with it, it exploded, the charge grazing her head, cutting off her locks on one side, badly burning her face and nearly putting her eyes out.

California.

On the morning of the 15th, in San Francisco, Malek Kramer shot and killed Martin Voltz in the yard of a lager-beer saloon, located on Broadway. Kramer fled but was soon arrested. The cause of the shooting seems to have been some trifling words that occurred between Voltz and Kramer two years ago, on board of a steamer during their passage to California: Kramer remembered those words, and after two years lapse, walked deliberately up to his victim and shot him dead.

King, a well known money lender, was robbed of \$8000 in gold watches and jewelry, a short time since.

Two sailors, named James Jero and Chas. Smith, were fighting in San Francisco on the 15th, when Jero stabbed the latter with a sheath-knife in the groin, inflicting a mortal wound.

The fare to Sacramento on the John T. Wright is one dollar.

Judge Norton, of the Twelfth District Court, has retired from the bench.

Geo. Kush, who has been merchandizing at Thompson's Flat, committed suicide on the 13th inst., by shooting himself with a pistol.

H. W. Halleck, of the firm of Halleck, Peachy & Billings, has been appointed Major-General of the Second Division of the California State Militia, vice Haven deceased.

South America.

House-breaking and murder is on the increase again in Lima, Peru; every day one or more cases occur, either of the one or the other. Last week, an Irishman was stabbed in the back in one of the most frequented streets, and in broad daylight. The assassin, after having perpetrated the murder, declared coolly that it had been a mistake; he need not trouble himself much about it—in a few months he will be free again. Day before yesterday, a great robbery was committed by a gang of robbers, whose chief, a well known bandit, was set at liberty but a few days before by the judges, who could not, or would not prove against him an atrocious murder, done by the same robber, a short time ago, under the most appalling circumstances. It is really dangerous here to give evidence against a bandit, because one may be sure of his vengeance, as soon as he gets free, which is generally the case in a few weeks or months.

From Puget Sound.

By the arrival of the steamer Eliza Anderson from the Sound on Tuesday, we received from Capt. Fleming files of the Sound papers:

SAN JUAN ISLAND.—The U. S. steamer Massachusetts returned to Steilacoom on the 14th, from San Juan, with Col. Casey and a detachment of Sappers and Miners. They had been to the Island for the purpose of laying out military reservations. [?]—Herald

Extensive preparations are being made around the Sound for a grand New Year's Ball.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION.—We are happy to inform some of our friends at a distance that a three dollar piece can be transmitted in a letter at single postage.—Standard.

We see it stated that some of the Indians have become alarmed since Lincoln's election, for fear the new President will liberate their slaves. They have not yet, we believe, taken any steps to secede.—Pioneer.

In regard to the removal of the capital, the Pioneer says: We believe that the people of the Territory will agree with us in the opinion that this late act of hasty legislation, removing the seat of government from Olympia to Vancouver was unequalled for by any geographical or political necessity.

A brewery, for the manufacture of ale and porter, is being erected at Olympia.

THE FUTURE MISTRESS OF THE WHITE HOUSE.—A correspondent of the New York World, who evidently sees the future mistress of the White House in the most favorable point of view, writes of her as follows:

She is yet apparently upon the advantageous side of forty, with a face upon which dignity and sweetness are blended, and an air of cultivation and refinement to which familiarity with the courtly drawing-rooms of London, or the aristocratic saloons of Paris, would hardly lend an added grace. She is admirably calculated to preside over our republican court. If one were permitted so far to describe her personal appearance, as to meet her half way, the respectful curiosity which is generally felt upon the subject, the description would be that she is slightly above the medium stature, with brown eyes, clearly cut features, delicate, mobile, expressive, rather distinguished in appearance than beautiful, conveying to the mind generally an impression of self-possession, stateliness and elegance. I distrust my own opinion upon subjects of the kind, but I concur in the belief prevalent hereabouts that she will make as admirable a leader of the stately dames and lovely demoiselles of the national capital as the most fastidious social martinet could desire.

A SHIP'S CREW RESCUED BY GRACE DARLING'S FATHER.—The Trio of Arbroath, was wrecked on the Fern Islands, in October last. It struck on the rocks within three yards of where the steamer Forfarshire was wrecked in 1838. The sea ran so high and the wind was so terrific that the crew were afraid to take to their boat. The men, therefore, jumped into the waters and were washed on to the rocks, many of them being dragged back several times by the force of the "under-tow." and only saving themselves with great difficulty by the aid of tangles and other seaweeds. The boat itself was blown right off the deck, alighting on the rock many feet distant, bow on, and being split up the centre by the shock. The men were about twelve hours on the rock, the sea being so high that no boat could possibly put out to rescue them. Towards evening, when the storm had abated, a crew, headed by James Darling, the father of the heroine Grace Darling, who had been watching the wreck all day, put out a boat from the Longstone Lighthouse, and rescued the men. Old Darling is now seventy-five years of age—is hale, hearty, and energetic still—and has been superintendent of the Longstone Light for a period of fifty years. The captain and crew of the Trio speak most reverentially, as they well may, of the brave old Lightkeeper.

A VIRTUOUS AND GOOD WOMAN NEVER GROWS OLD.—Years may pass over her head, and the fingers of time leave their imprint upon her brow; but if benevolence and virtue dwell in her heart, she is as cheerful as when the spring of life opened to her view. When we look at a good woman we never think of her age—she looks charming as when the rose of youth first bloomed on her cheek. That rose has not faded yet—it will never fade. In her neighborhood every one blesses her. She is the friend of the poor. Who does not love the woman who has passed her days in acts of kindness and mercy? Such a woman can never grow old. She will always be fresh and buoyant in spirit; and when she departs to another and better world, her memory will be fresh and green in the hearts of those who loved her on earth.

PRIZE FIGHTING IN VERMONT.—A bill is before the Legislature in Vermont to prevent prize fighting, making every person who shall engage in any such fight punishable by imprisonment for not more than ten years, or by fine of not more than \$5,000; and every aid, second, or surgeon, by imprisonment for not more than five years, or by a fine not to exceed \$1000, and every resident of the State who goes out of it to engage in such a fight, subject to the same punishment as an aide, second, or surgeon to any such fight within the State.

BLACKSMITHS' Coals at \$9.00 per Ton of 2,240 Pounds.

THE VICTORIA COAL COMPANY offer for sale One Hundred Tons superior Coals screened free from dust, and suitable for small stoves and grates, free of drayage and portage, in quantities of one ton and upwards.

JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agent, City Wharf.

SAMUEL PRICE & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS Corner of Wharf and Johnson streets, d11tf VICTORIA, V. I.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE.

BY LATE ARRIVALS, THE UNDER-

signed have received additions to their hitherto well-assorted stock of Furniture—and now offer

PAINTED SEWING MACHINES;

EXTENSION TABLES, 8 and 10 feet long;

CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round tops, assorted sizes;

CAID TABLES, harp and square pillars;

COMMON 4, 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2 long, with drawers; also Cherry, Walnut, and painted pine leaf tables;

BEDSTEADS, Mahogany French, Cottage, double and single;

LOUNGES, spring seats, in damask and leather covers;

SOFAS, spring seats, hair cloth, with round and pillow ends;

DESKS, with fall and door fronts;

CHEFFONIERES, walnut and mah'ny carved fronts, 3 shelves, freestanding;

BUREAUX, one-half marble top, scroll and painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers;

WHATNOTS, walnut and mahogany, 6 and 8 shelves;

CHIFFONIERES, in gilt and mahogany frames, assorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons;

CHILDREN'S cribs and cradles, also high and low chairs, assorted patterns;

CHAIRS, mahogany hair cloth, spring seats, cane and wood seat, office, oak, dining, Grecian cane, heavy, low room, and common wood seats;

ROCKERS, spring seats, mahogany and cane seats and backs, sewing and arm;

SINKS, wash stands, chair cushions, coverlets, towel racks, willow cribs, &c

—ALSO—

BEDDING, Pulu, Curled Hair, Moss, Wool, and Straw Mattresses, &c. &c. &c. all sizes; in the manufacture of which we use none but the best materials, and guarantee our work.

PIERCE & SEYMOUR, Victoria, V. I., Feb. 22. n23-1m2p

Livery and Sale Stables,

YATES STREET.

BOWMAN & HALSEY

INFORM THEIR FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC generally, that they are now prepared to offer the very best accommodations in their line to be had in the town.

Saddle Horses, Buggies, etc., always ready. Horses kept on the most reasonable terms. All orders for teaming faithfully attended to.

Victoria, Dec. 11, 1859. 6m

M. PRAG.

Yates street, offers for sale, cheap.

HARDWARE,

Agricultural Implements,

Bar Iron, Steel & Iron-Mongery,

STOVE & TINWARE

of every description.

Glass and Crockery Ware, Wood and Willow Ware, &c. &c. d16-

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.

Just Received per Express

FROM THE

SHAKER'S GARDEN,

New York,

A LARGE STOCK OF

GARDEN SEEDS,

—OF—

This Years' Growth.

CURTIS & MOORE,

d18 1m Druggists, Yates street.

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE

Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order thereon, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,

Corner of Government and Broughton streets, d3-tf Victoria.

ANTOINET FOSSEIER,

Chronometer Watchmaker and Jeweller,

Government street, near Johnson.

(FROM GENEVA, SWITZERLAND.)

27 Music Boxes, Chronometers, and Watches repaired and regulated for Two Years. d4 3m

All kinds of Jewelry repaired

S. DUCK,

Wheelwright & Carriage Maker,

At T. CAMERON'S, (Blacksmiths),

Corner of Market street.

Orders punctually attended to, and all work warranted good. d6 1m

EX "SANTA CRUZ."

WINDOW GLASS,

WHITE LEAD, (English and American)

PAINTS, OILS, COLORS, (ground and dry)

CAMPBELL, &c. On sale by W. M. SEARBY, d19 1m Government street, near Theatre.

Royal Hotel Restaurant.

JONES & BENNETT

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS

and the public that they have opened the above

Restaurant in the best style, and it is now equal to

any on this side of the Pacific. They have hired the

BEST OF COOKS,

And they hope, by strict attention, to merit a share

of the people's patronage.

Breakfast from 7 o'clock to half-past 10 A. M.

Meals, - - - - - 50 cents

Board by the Week, - - - - - \$6.00

Open to 12 o'clock, P. M.

Wharf street, Victoria, V. I., Dec. 8, 1860. 1m

DRY & FANCY GOO

A. GILMORE,

TAILOR,

Yates street, third door below Government street,

HAS RECEIVED BY THE LATEST

arrivals a large assortment of Custom-made

WINTER CLOTHING

AND

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

With a well assorted Stock of Cloths, consisting of

Pilot, Beaver, Cassimere,

Fancy and Black Doeskin,

Fancy Velvet and Silk Vest Patterns,

Which I am prepared to make to order in the latest

and most approved styles.

My Stock is wholly composed of Gentlemen's

Goods, and my personal attention entirely devoted

to rendering satisfaction to my patrons.

The Tailoring Department connected with my

Ready-made Clothing, enables me to sell the same

quality of goods cheaper than any other establish-

ment in Victoria.

Those parties desirous of durable and well fitting

garments would find it advantageous to call.

d2 1m

A. J. BRUNN,

DRAPER AND TAILOR, IS CONSTANT-

ly receiving English and French Cloths, Casi-

meres, Vestings, etc.; also, superior quality of Tailors'

Trimings, which enables him to make Gentlemen's

Garments in the latest Fashion and most substantial

manner.

Parties furnishing their own material, or Garments

of old fashion, can have it made up and trimmed at

reasonable prices.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods and Hats and Caps

made at low cash prices.

YATES STREET, oppo ite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express Office. n20 6m

Wm. Culverwell's

GENERAL AGENCY

FOR THE

Collection of Rents and Debts,

AND FOR THE

Leasing of Houses and Lands,

HAVING BEEN

Removed to the New Fireproof Building

At the corner of

YATES AND LANGLEY STREETS,

He is prepared to transact all business which may be

intrusted to his care, in a correct manner.

Attached to the Agency is an

Intelligence Registry,

in which persons wishing to engage help or seeking

situations may record their names.

Money Loaned

ON GOOD SECURITY.

NOTES DISCOUNTED,

BOOKKEEPER,

ACCOUNTANT,

DOCUMENTS COPIED, etc., etc.

In cases requiring a

POWER OF ATTORNEY

SECURITY WILL BE FURNISHED.

d2 1m

DOCTOR KENNEDY, A. M.

Physician, Surgeon

—AND—

Accoucheur,

FROM HIS EXTENSIVE EXPER-

IENCE in the treatment of Diseases in Europe,

France, and on the Pacific Coast, Dr. Ken-

nedy is confident of giving satisfaction to those

requiring his services in the various branches of his

Profession.

MIDWIFERY.

And those Diseases peculiar to Women and Child-

ren, shall receive his special attention.

N. B.—A CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF DRUGS,

MEDICINES,

Patent Medicines, &c.

FOR SALE.

P. M. BACKUS,

AUCTIONEER,

El Dorado Saleroom, Yates street,

Will attend to Sales of Merchandise, Vessels and

Real Estate.

Sale days—TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATUR-

DAY. n30-tf

[?] Real Estate for sale at private sale.

COLONIAL MARKET,

Johnson street, between Government and Store sts.

HAS BEEN OPENED,

THE FIRST GREAT PUBLIC MAR-

KET in Victoria, where will be found on the

Stands, Fish, Meats (plain and prepared), Vegetables,

Butter and Eggs, Fruits, and all eatables in general.

Johnson street between Gov. and Store. d28

MADAME LACHARRE A L'ON-

neur de prevenir les Familles et le public quelle

sont toujours un grand assortiment de viande pre-

paree pour dejeuner, lunch, et souper, et une grande

variete de conestibles en general. d13

GROCERIES, ETC.

SUGARS—Sandwich Island and China—1000

packages assorted; for sale by

JANION & GREEN.

Woolen Goods—A large assortment for

sale by the undersigned, consisting

of Flannels, Balzes

THE BRITISH COLONIST

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

Thursday Morning, Dec. 27, 1860.

The Pilot Bill.

We have another black mark to place to the debit of the Government account. Several months since, Capt. Cooper, then a member of our Parliament, introduced a bill providing for an increase in the dues to be paid pilots. Accompanying the bill was a petition from the pilots, praying that it might pass, and engaging, in case the House agreed to the measure, to keep a suitable vessel cruising about outside of Race Rocks, with one or more of their number continually in her. The bill passed the House, not in its original form, but with the proposed scale of prices somewhat amended—and was sent to the Council—the great smotherer of every bill of utility passed by the lower house this session. There the bill has lain ever since. Not a word has been breathed about it by any member of the Council; and we are very much afraid that it has long since been sent to the tomb of the Capulets.

On the 9th of November last, one of our pilots, a most worthy citizen, lost his life whilst attempting to board a distressed vessel outside, in an unsuitable boat. His death, however, effected nothing, although he was clearly a martyr to the inactivity and inefficiency of our Government. Two days ago we chronicled the loss on Race Rocks of the British bark Nanette, heavily laden with a full and rich cargo of goods. Had the Pilot Bill become a law, the deceased pilot might have to-day been moving about as full of life and health as any of us; and the ill-fated bark Nanette might have been discharging her cargo at one of our wharves.

The pilots, under the old rule, say they cannot maintain a boat outside, because the remuneration they receive is insufficient to support them; and furthermore, that any person, whether licensed or not, can bring a vessel into port, or take her out again, and that they are left wholly without protection; in short, that as pilots, they have "the shadow without the substance." When a vessel is reported outside, they generally take the first boat to be obtained, whether serviceable or not, and put out to her. By this course they not only endanger their own lives, but, in case of their inability to reach the vessel, which very often occurs, they endanger the lives of the crew they are seeking to relieve, and place much valuable property in extreme jeopardy. There is considerable room for improvement in every governmental department; and in none more than that of the pilots.—There is no question, but that if the Pilot Bill had emanated from the prolific brain of the Oracle, it would long before now have become a law of the land. But because it came from an anti-administration member the cry "the Free Port must be maintained," was raised; and it was treated as an attempt to break down that admirable system, and erroneously opposed by the government; but finally, after a great effort, it went through the House, only to meet, we fear, an inglorious death at the hands of the Legislative Council. Out upon the system of party training that kills a bill merely because it comes from a man who happens to be inimical to the government. If a bill is a good one, and will prove beneficial to the colony, pass it, no matter who may be the author; and if good for nothing, let it be put out of its misery as soon as possible. It is to the system of tactics adopted by the administration party that we are indebted for the want of a light at the entrance of the harbor; for the lack of a proper Registration of Voters Bill; and to the present inefficiency of the pilots. When will a change be made?

SOUR GRAPES.—Fifteen clerks (South-ers) in the Land office at Washington have sent in their resignations, to take effect on the 4th of March next. As they happen to be all Democrats, and the newly elected President a Republican, their patriotism and self denial is all the more to be admired. They would be turned out of office anyhow, and so they adopt the noble plan of making martyrs of themselves in advance. Who says the grapes are sour?

FORGERY.—In our advertising columns of our last issue, was an advertisement purporting to come from Dr. Wallace, San Francisco. Having come to us via Express, we presumed it to be correct; but since its publication we have discovered it to be forgery. The unprincipled forger may live to regret his deed, and will do so, if we are not seriously mistaken.

There are said to be 1600 barrels of flour in Fort Yale, British Columbia, at the present time.

A JEWISH NAVAL OFFICER.—Capt. Levy in the service of the United States, is reported by an exchange to be the first Israelite who has had the command of a squadron in modern times. The Portsmouth (Maine) Journal thus speaks of him: "Flag officer Levy is a man of much worth. To his direct and persevering influence the greatest disgrace of our navy, flogging, has been abolished. He did not enter through the cabin windows to his present position; but, being a seaman, he passed through every grade to the high post he occupies. Many years since, when in the service, there was a disaster on shipboard, for which no one was responsible or could have prevented. The command to him was to have all the men connected with that department of the ship flogged. This he saw the injustice of, but could not prevent the execution of the order. From that time he used his influence for abolishing the disgusting and inhuman barbarity, and, after several years' labor, he has the satisfaction of seeing it abolished."

JUBILEE.—Pope Pius IX. has granted a particular jubilee to the Sisters of Charity throughout the world, in consequence of the two hundredth anniversary of the glorious death of St. Vincent de Paul, their founder. The jubilee will be celebrated in all the chapels connected with the hospitals under their charge, and will last three weeks.

THE VOTE OF NAPLES.—The vote of Naples as to whether Victor Emmanuel should or should not rule that country in future, stood: Ayes—1,302,064; Noes—10,312. In the language of our Yankee cousins, he may be said to have been triumphantly elected by an immense majority. Long may he rule.

A CARD.—Mr. McCrea begs to call the attention of the Ladies of Victoria to his sale of Japanese goods, which takes place on Saturday, the 29th inst. The goods are of a much superior class to any heretofore opened in this market. They are open for inspection to-day (Thursday) and to-morrow.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ex "Alma," from London:
LARGE AND VERY SUPERIOR
assortment of Gentlemen's English and Scotch made CLOTHING: Shirts, Gloves, Neck Ties, etc.
For sale by
STEWART, MELDRUM & CO. T

TO LEASE
FOR A LONG TERM, A LOT ON LANG-
LEY Street.
Apply to
W. CULVERWELL,
Cor. Langley and Yates streets.

CONSIGNEE'S NOTICE.
THE CONSIGNEE OF THE BARK
ALMA, Joseph Ferguson, Commandant, will please take notice that she will commence to discharge cargo this morning at 10 o'clock. All goods when landed, will be at the risk of the owners, and if not removed before 5 o'clock, they will be stored at the risk and expense of the owner. Consignees will please call at the office of the undersigned, pay charges, and obtain their orders.
SAM'L PRICE & CO.

TO LET OR LEASE.
BRICK STORE,
Corner of Douglas and Fort streets
ONE OF THE BEST SITUATIONS for
a Family Grocery; rent low.
APARTMENTS OR SINGLE ROOMS
Upstairs, rent \$5 per month each room (private entrance).
All rooms well and hard finished, with fireplaces and wash room attached to the building.
Lot 35 x 70 on Yates street below Douglas, with alley in the rear. Lot on Fort street next to corner of Douglas. Lot and Store on Humbolt street next to corner of Government. Small Cottage, 2 rooms, on Douglas alley corner of Douglas and Yates streets, rent, \$8 per month.
Small Lot on Douglas street near Fort street.
Apply to
C. VEREYDHEN,
Brick Building, corner Douglas and Fort streets.
Or to J. B. TIMMERMAN, Government street.
d27 1m

REMOVAL.

C. VEREYDHEN,
Contractor and Builder,
Has removed his Office to No. 1 Brick Building
Corner of Douglas and Fort streets, upstairs,
AND IS PREPARED TO CONTRACT
for or superintend the erection of Brick or
Frame Buildings of any kind or style.
Parties who intend to build will do well to call
and plans will be shown for brick stores or dwellings,
which can be erected at a trifling cost over that of a wooden building.
Plans and drawings of every style and specifications made at the shortest notice.
d27 1m

AUCTION.

On SATURDAY, Dec. 29, 1860,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.
SPECIAL AND PEREMPTORY SALE.
New Years' Gifts.

Invoice of Elegant Japanese Goods,
Ex Onward from Japan, ex Oregon from San Francisco.
Never opened in San Francisco, but the
Choicest Selection for this Market,
Consisting of—
Large and elegant Cabinets, inlaid with pearl,
Beautiful Cabinets, inlaid and silver mounted,
Cabinets with secret drawers,
Pagodas, richly carved,
Lacquered Caskets, richly inlaid,
Japanese Guitars, which are the most beautiful
in the world.
Large and richly inlaid Trays,
Large and richly inlaid Secretaries,
Beautiful Bird Cages,
Glove Boxes, Shawl Boxes, and Fancy Boxes of
all descriptions.
—ALSO—
Porcelain Ware,
Large and highly finished Punch Bowls,
Cups and Saucers, Plates,
Fancy Cups and Bottles,
etc., etc., etc.

The above will be sold at store formerly occupied by Messrs SPORBORG & Co. on Wharf street, foot of Yates street.
They will be open for Examination on Thursday and Friday. Ladies and Gentlemen are invited to call and see them, as there are too many different articles to enumerate.
J. A. MCCREA,
Auctioneer.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Masonic Notice.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF VICTORIA
LODGE No. 1085 of A. F. and F. A. will be held at the Lodge this day (Thursday), at 12 m., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. A punctual attendance is requested.
J. J. SOUTHGATE, W. M.
A. DE COSMOS, Secretary.

EX "ALMA," FROM LONDON.
SIR R. BURNETT & CO'S OLD TOM
Gin, in patent stoppered Bottles.
Brown and Pale Cognac Brandy in Hhds. and q-casks.
Brown and Pale French Brandy in casks and cases.
Dunlop's "Mountain Dew" whisky in casks and cases.
For sale by
STEWART, MELDRUM & CO.

Moore's Musical Hall.
PERSONS WISHING TO OBTAIN THE
HALL for Balls and Parties, will please apply, during my absence, to
N. MOORE & CO.
(Signed) J. S. POTTER.

AUCTION.
On MONDAY, Dec. 31st, 1860,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,
AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET.
The Last Sale this Year.
Positive and Peremptory Sale
To close consignments.

ON A LIBERAL CREDIT
All of this year and part of next.
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,
LIQUORS, GROCERIES and YANKEE NOTIONS
Blankets,
PERFUMERY,
The goods will be sold without reserve, consisting in part as follows:

BOOTS! BOOTS!!
3 cases English grained leather Boots,
10 cases American Kid Boots, nailed and sewed,
10 cases Haywood's India Rubber Knee Boots,
Shirts and Drawers:
15 doz Scarlet Flannel Shirts,
—doz Gents' fine Saxony Flannel Undershirts,
—doz Gents' fine Merino Undershirts and Drawers,
—doz Gents' fine Flannel Undershirts and Drawers,

FLANNELS:
—bales scarlet, white and yellow Flannels,
INDIA RUBBER COATS:
Water proof Drendnought Coats.
Water proof Coats lined with Alpaca and other linings.
Gentlemen's light water proof business Coats,
UMBRELLAS:
—cases extra quality cotton Umbrellas,
BLANKETS:
Bales heavy grey Blankets,
Bales heavy blue do
Bales heavy green do
Bales heavy scarlet do

Wool Plaids:
—cases heavy Wool Plaids, new styles,
BAIZES:
—pieces blue, scarlet and green Baizes:
CLOTHS:
—pieces fine black Doeskin (ladies' cloths),
—pieces fine blue Doeskin do
—pieces heavy blue Cloth,
—ALSO—
50 doz cotton Handkerchiefs,
50 doz Suspenders,
1 case gilt Jewelry,
1 case Jewelry for Indian Traders,
—ALSO—
40 tins Fancy Biscuits,
—ALSO—
Wines and Liquors,
—cases Bottled Ale,
—cases Bottled Porter,
—cases Brandy, various qualities,
—cases Bottled Sherry Wine, very fine,
—cases Bottled Old Port Wine,
—cases Bottled Claret Wine,
20 cases Jeffrey's Jug Ale,
—cases Old Tom Gin.

ONE LARGE GOLD SCALES.
—ALSO—
20 bbls Corned Beef.
TERMS: 30 days' approved paper.
J. A. MCCREA,
Auctioneer.
d22 td

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
VICTORIA, V. I.
A TEA MEETING
WILL BE HELD IN
MOORE'S MUSICAL HALL,
On WEDNESDAY EVENING, January 2d, 1861,
at eight o'clock precisely.
TICKETS may be had at Messrs. Hibben & Carnwell's, Macdonald & Co's, the Assay Office, and Seabury's Drug Store, Government street. d21 tf

Monsarrat & Co,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
9 Wharf Street, Victoria,
ARE REGULARLY IN RECEIPT OF
consignments of Sandwich Island Produce of all kinds, and have now on hand ex "Jenny Ford," "Mary Ellen," and other late arrivals. **MELURPS, MOLASSES, SUGARS,** in small kegs and large packages, which they offer for sale at low prices.
d22 td

EDGAR DEWDNEY,
Auctioneer, Surveyor, Architect,
and Land Agent,
COLUMBIA STREET,
NEW WESTMINSTER.
Orders promptly attended to. a17 6m

THE NORTHERN
ASSURANCE COMPANY,
(ESTABLISHED 1836.)
For Fire and Life Assurance
AT HOME AND ABROAD.
CAPITAL £1,250,700 STERLING.
The undersigned have been appointed Agents Victoria.
JANION & GREEN.
Victoria, August, 1860. au21 6m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE.
THE PROPERTY OF
The Hudson's Bay Company
AT VICTORIA,
COMPRISING THE
Fort Site and adjoining Lots.
P. M. BACKUS, Auctioneer,
WILL SELL
AT THE HUDSON'S BAY FORT
On WEDNESDAY,
The Twenty-third Day of January next,
At 12 o'clock, M., the above named Property.

This is the most important sale of Real Estate that has ever taken place in Victoria since the discovery of gold in British Columbia, and offers inducements to capitalists and business men such as are rarely to be met with. The terms of the sale have been made liberal, in order to give parties with small capital an opportunity to invest in the business part of the Town without any very heavy outlay.
Plans of the property and terms of sale may be seen at the Auctioneer's office, Eldorado Building.

Terms and Conditions of Sale
—OF—
Hudson's Bay Company Fort and other property.
FIRST.—Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money to be paid upon the day of sale, and the balance thereof at any time within TWO YEARS of the day of sale, with one per cent per month interest thereon, payable quarterly for one year from the day of sale, and one and one-half per cent per month interest, payable quarterly for the second year.
SECOND.—All taxes and assessments which shall be imposed upon or in respect of the lands sold, must be paid when due by the purchaser.
THIRD.—Failing compliance with each and all of the above conditions, all previous partial payments will be forfeited, and the land will revert to the Hudson's Bay Company.
FOURTH.—Conveyances in due form will be executed, on compliance with the above-mentioned conditions, without charge to the purchaser.
FIFTH.—Parties purchasing buildings or on partly on the street, must remove the same within thirty days, so as not to obstruct the streets.
SIXTH.—Parties purchasing the buildings and not the lots on which they stand must remove the same within thirty days.

Rheumatism!
PERMANENTLY CURED
BY DR. W. H. GOSS,
(Late of San Francisco.)

WHO TAKES PLEASURE IN AN-
nouncing to the inhabitants of Victoria and vicinity that he has located himself on Trowace street, near Government street, (opposite the Post Office,) where he is prepared to treat all species of diseases on the Reform principle of Medical Practice.
Minerals Never Being Used!
Dr. G.'s almost unlimited success, for years past, in treating all kinds of diseases, especially Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, Inflammation and Chronic Diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, Lungs, etc., justify him in saying to the curable, HE CAN CURE THEM. and to the incurable, he can afford relief. Those who are suffering would do well to call and consult him.
In connection with his Establishment, he has erected the MEDICATED VAPOR AND ELECTRO-CHEMICAL BATHS, which purify the blood, improve the circulation, and equalize the nervous forces, by this means imparting universal warmth and strength to the entire system. They are an invaluable aid in the cure of Rheumatism and all Mercurial Affections.
Consultation at all hours. d23 1m

Yale Town Lots.
TWO VALUABLE FRONT LOTS
In this rising town for Sale.

ONE IS A CORNER ONE ON THE TWO
principal streets. There are two good houses on the premises, let at \$10 per month each. The lots are the property of a gentleman going to England. Terms easy.
Apply
J. J. COCHRANE,
Estate Agent, Government st.

AUCTION.

On FRIDAY, Dec. 28th, 1860,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,
AT SALESROOM WHARF STREET,
I WILL SELL

The Wreck of the Schooner **MORNINGSTAR**, as she now lies about one mile this side of Cedar Hill.

Together with 2 Anchors and 2 Chains each 30 x 45 Fathoms.
TERMS CASH.
J. A. MCCREA,
Auctioneer.
d22 td

Holidays! Holidays!
COLONIAL MARKET,
JOHNSON STREET.

Turkeys, Fowls, Ducks,
GAME, FAT BEEF, PORK,
PIGS (Roasters), Fresh Pork, Sausages, Fat Lambs.
Fish of all kinds, in fact anything in the Good Cheer way of eating to be found in the greatest variety and excellence.

Those fond of good living would do well to call and see the display at the
First Great Colonial Market.
(OPPOSITION.) d22 3t

J. W. Tripp & Co,
Dealers in Oregon Produce,
Corner of Government and Johnson Streets,
Have constantly on hand
BACON, HAMS, BUTTER AND EGGS.
PER SANTA CRUZ, A LARGE LOT
—OF—
POULTRY,
Comprising **GESE, TURKIES, CHICKENS, &c.**
—ALSO—
An excellent lot of
FRUIT TREES
Of all kinds, selected expressly for this market from the best Nurseries in Oregon. d21 tf

NOTARY PUBLIC.
MR. DRAKE, 63 GOVERNMENT STREET,
has received the appointment of Notary Public for these Colonies. d26 2m

MISCELLANEOUS.

Masonic Ball.
NOTICE.—The Managing Committee have arranged with Messrs. Parker & Thain for their Carriages to be in attendance at the residence of parties desiring to be conveyed to the Ball on THURSDAY EVENING, the 27th inst. Those wishing to avail themselves of the same, will please leave their names at the Store of K. GAMBITZ, Yates street. Fare \$1 each way. d21 td

Take Notice!
I AM PREPARED TO SUPPLY THE
numerous calls for Gentlemen's
WHITE NECK TIES,
FOR THE GRAND BALL
On the 27th December; also, a full assortment of
WHITE KID GLOVES
AND
DRESS SHIRTS.
I shall continue to keep a large supply of WHITE NECK TIES always on hand, which I shall offer

CHEAP FOR CASH.
Also, an assortment of
GARROTE COLLARS.
CALL AT
N. POINTER'S,
Government street.
d22 2dp

LANCLEY BROS.,
Importing Druggists,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA,

HAVE RECEIVED, DIRECT FROM
London, a Choice Selection of—
DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
Surgical Instruments,

Patent Medicines and Perfumery.
ATKINSON'S INFANT'S PRESERVATIVE;
Cockle's Anti-Bilious Pills;
Keating's Cough Lozenges;
Murray's Fluid Magnesia;
Curling's Sparkling Citrate of Magnesia;
Superior Sedilite Powders;
Essential Oil of Ripstone Pippin;
Essential Oil of Pine Apple;
Essential Oil of Strawberry;
Essential Oil of Raspberry;
Essential Oil of Jargonel Pearse;
Essential Oil of Nectar;
Rowland's Macassar Oil;
Rowland's Odonto;
Rowland's Kalydor;
Gosnell's Colognes;
Gosnell's Cherry Tooth Paste;
Gosnell's Soaps;
Gosnell's Hair Brushes.
n23 1m

Liquors, Liquors, Liquors.

JUST RECEIVED
Ex Scranton, Vicky and Glencoe.
10 1-4 CASES JAS. HENNESSY'S
BRANDY, Pale and Dark,
3 puns Jamaica Rum,
10% casks Port Wine,
15 bbls Champagne, choicest brands.
10 bbls choice Old Bourbon Whisky. This Whisky is received direct from the distillery in Paris County, Seat of Bourbon, "Kentucky," and can be depended upon as being a pure article, and is well worthy the attention of connoisseurs in that article.
20 cases Vico Vermouth,
20 do Absynthe, Perard,
10 casks Claret Wine,
100 cases Claret, various brands,
100 cases Bitters, various brands now in use,
100 cases California Wine, various vintages.
All of the above liquors have been selected with great care for first class trade, and will be sold low
By
W. H. OLIVER,
Johnson street, opposite Wharf street, Victoria.
d20 1m2p

James G. Poston,
Late in the employ of Sporborg & Co.
ACCOUNTANT, COLLECTOR, CON-
VEYANCER, HOUSE AND LAND AGENT.

Office (pro. tem.) in the building lately occupied by Sporborg & Co., Wharf street. d21 tf
BUREAUS, CHAIRS AND ROCKING
CHAIRS, for sale by
P. M. BACKUS, Yates street.

Butter, Hams,
STARCH, LARD, CHEESE, TEA, BA-
CON, etc., for sale by
P. M. BACKUS, Yates street.

A Fine English Sextant
BEHOLDING TO A LATE MASTER IN
Her Majesty's Service, by one of the best makers,
for sale by
P. M. BACKUS, Yates street.

Washington Restaurant.
—AND—
COFFEE SALOON,
GOVERNMENT St. bet. YATES and JOHNSON
MEALS FURNISHED AT ALL HOURS
on the shortest notice and best style.

THE FINEST WINES, PORTER, ALE
—AND—
SEGARS,
d21 1m

TOYS FOR CHRISTMAS.
JUST OPENED AND FOR SALE, a fine
lot of German Tin Toys by
P. M. BACKUS, Yates street.

TWO ELEGANT SETS OF PARLOR
FURNITURE, for sale by
P. M. BACKUS, Yates street.

BRANDY IN FLASKS.
JUST RECEIVED, A FEW CASES OF
BRANDY in wicker flasks, expressly put up for
packing and use in the mines.
d21 1m JANION & GREEN.

Victoria Coal Company.
COAL AND WOOD.
THE PRICE OF COAL IN QUAN-
ties of One Ton and upwards, including drayage
and portage, will from this date be ELEVEN DOL-
LARS PER TON.
JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agents,
City Wharf, foot of Yates street.
Victoria, Oct. 3d, 1860. d3 1m 2p

To Rent! To Rent!
A FIREPROOF STORE.
TO RENT.—THE FIREPROOF BRICK STORE
in the "Colonial Building," Government street,
near the Post Office, will be rented low, if applica-
tion be made at once. It is well fitted with Counter
and Shelves for a Grocer or Dry Goods man.
n3 2dp A. DE COSMOS.

BLANKETS! BLANKETS!!
BALEN 2 1/2 POINT WHITE BLANKETS,
Just received and for sale by
JANION & GREEN.
d21 1m

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Thursday Morning, Dec. 27, 1860.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Christmas Day.

We have never passed so pleasant a day, since our residence in Victoria, as Tuesday. At an early hour in the morning, troops of gaily dressed girls and boys were to be seen crowding Yates street, making purchases or exhibiting the presents received from Santa Claus during the night previous. The noise of drums, tin trumpets, crying babies, and other toys, was fairly deafening, and the juvenile possessors, if they were not able to produce any very harmonious sounds from their instruments, at least succeeded in making a great deal of discord, unpleasant to the ears of old bachelors, who, tradition says, have, from time immemorial, been the enemies of the rising generation. We were pleased to see our young colonists enter with such spirit into the festivities and enjoyments of the day; and hope that every succeeding holiday will find them raising a greater fuss than ever.

The youngsters, however, did not have all the fun to themselves. The older members of the community were also disposed to have their share; and most appropriately and properly did they, as a general rule, pass the day. The streets were never noticed so full of people before; the shipping in the harbor were dressed in their gayest colors; from the flag-staffs of the engine-houses, the hotels, the government buildings, and several private dwellings flags waved. The retail stores were handsomely festooned with wreaths of evergreens and holly, and presented a truly fine appearance. During the afternoon, we noticed very few drunken persons about; and it is a noticeable fact, that not a single arrest was made by the police—a circumstance, we believe, unprecedented in the annals of Christmas celebrations of any other British town of the size of Victoria. Towards evening turkeys, chickens and geese suffered fearfully, and the festive boards were surrounded by happy groups of the young and old, who wished each other a "Merry Christmas," passed compliments, and cracked jokes until a late hour. As we said before, we never spent a happier day here, and we really hope that our readers may see many returns of the same during their stay upon this mundane sphere.

The Wreck of the Nannette.

Yesterday morning the Hudson Bay Company's steamer Otter steamed up and proceeded to the wreck of the bark Nannette, where she lies on Race Rocks reef. The vessel was found to be under water, only the upper portion of her house being visible. The wreckers, on Tuesday afternoon, succeeded in boarding her and cutting away the rigging, upon which she canted over, and one side was seen above water at low tide. They then rigged a windlass and worked all that night, succeeding, before daylight, in saving fifteen casks of ale or porter, and several packages of gunpowder. It is thought, should the vessel remain in the same position, that a great portion of the cargo may be saved in a damaged condition. The cargo was valued at from \$160,000 to \$170,000, of which amount the Hudson Bay Company had \$70,000, and Messrs Stamp & Co. \$40,000,—both fully insured. The balance of the cargo was in smaller lots, and consigned to various merchants in town, some of whom, we regret to say, were not insured, and are consequently heavy losers by the unfortunate occurrence. From the position of the vessel she must have passed safely over one reef, but struck on a rock belonging to the second reef. Had she succeeded in clearing the latter, she would, in all human probability, have escaped entirely. The vessel was insured in London offices. Messrs. Anderson & Finlayson are the agents for the Underwriters and have taken charge of the wreck and goods.

The Nannette was three years old, and was considered a staunch vessel. Capt. Main is an old and experienced navigator, and the loss of his vessel within eleven miles of the port to which he was bound, after a safe passage of 175 days, without hardly sighting land, is attributed to the occurrence of a succession of unfortuitous circumstances, against which no seaman could guard.

FIRE ALARM.—On Tuesday evening, the truck-house bell struck off at a lively rate for fire, and a bright glare arose in the direction of Christ Church. The apparatus were soon rolled out and on their way to the supposed scene of conflagration; but on arriving at the spot, discovered that a tar-barrel had been set on fire at a point remote from any building, and that there was consequently no danger.

BROKE HER ARM.—A clootchedman, during the time of the alarm of fire on Tuesday evening, while striving to escape being run over by one of the engines, fell to the ground and fractured her right arm. The poor creature was taken to the station-house, where the broken limb was set by Drs. Trimble and Rumsey.

CLEARED.—The bark Palmotto cleared at San Francisco on the 17th inst. for this port.

RACE.—The race between Grey Billy and Black Prince, over the Beacon Hill course, came off yesterday, Grey Billy winning, having distanced his opponent in the first heat. Time, 1:58. There were other races made up on the ground, between Williams' and Richardson's horses, Richardson's horse winning. Time, 2:2. We learn that there is to be a race on Tuesday next for \$1,000 a side, between a horse owned by Mr. Harris, and Bowman's grey.

THE MASONIC BALL.—This is St. John's Day. St. John is the patron saint of the Masons, and it is the intention of the representatives of the Order in this Colony to celebrate the same in a becoming manner, by a grand ball, to be given at the Court House, James' Bay, this evening. The ball is to be given by the Victoria Lodge No. 1085 of A. F. and A. M., under the United Lodge of England, and will, we think, be largely attended by the elite of this city.

THE RACE ROCKS LIGHT.—The beacon on Race Rocks was lighted last evening for the first time. We had not the pleasure of seeing it shine; but are informed that it was very brilliant, and every way suited to the duty it will henceforth perform.

The Eliza Anderson yesterday towed in the barkentine Constitution and the bark Alma.

The steamer Eliza Anderson left yesterday afternoon for the Sound.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS, are undeniably the finest medicine for dilapidated constitutions, disordered liver, bile and indigestion. The wonderful efficacy of this salutary medicine, and the good effects produced on patients suffering from the above complaints would appear incredible, if not confirmed by daily proofs of the cures effected by them, and the permanent benefit derived from their use. Those invaluable Pills soothe the blood, regulate the secretions, and invigorate the constitution. Disease flies before them. They are composed of vegetable extracts, unmingled with a grain of any mineral or noxious substance. They may, therefore, be given with the utmost confidence, and with perfect safety, to delicate females and young children.

CITY TRADE REPORT.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, Dec. 26, 1860.

There were few transactions of note during the day; business generally being rather dull, trade from the up-country having slackened off considerably within the past few days. The Santa Cruz landed about 100 tons of freight on City Wharf to-day among which we noticed a considerable quantity of Oregon produce. Flour, in consequence of a slight upward tendency noticeable in the San Francisco market, is doing better. Lard continues scarce and high.

FLOUR.—Sale of 200 bbls Oregon on p. t.; Golden Gate, firm at \$5 62½; \$5 75 per bbl; Oregon, superfine, \$4 62½; extra, \$5; Self-rising, none in market.

SUGAR.—Sale of 25 kegs S. Island No. 1, at 9½c per lb; crushed, in h bbls 16c½ per lb; powdered, in bxs 18c½ per lb.

BACON.—A choice article commands 17c½ per lb.

LARD.—Jewell and Harrison's in tin, scarce and firm at 25c per lb; Alden's in do, 24c.

BUTTER.—A good article of Oregon lump is selling at 35c½ per lb.

BARLEY.—No change to note, although a good feeling is manifested among holders.

OATS.—Sale of 400 bushels at 45c; in small lots, selling as high as 42½c per bushel.

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes remain at former rates, 3½c½ per lb; Onions, 3c per lb.

P. RTLAND MARKETS.

THURSDAY, Dec. 20, 1860.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather the past few days, there has been but few transactions of note. We have heard of several parcels of flour changing hands at a high advance on former figures; but few country merchants in town, and those buying very sparingly. Prices are about the same as our former quotations:—Flour, \$4.25 to \$4.50; Wheat, 60c; Oats, 37½c to 40c; Corn meal, 18c to 20c; Butter, 18c to 20c; Eggs, 12c to 14c; Chickens, 10c to 12c; Turkeys, 15c to 18c; Apples, 10c to 12c; Sugar, 8c to 10c; Coffee, 12c to 14c; Candles, 10c to 12c; Potatoes, 3c to 4c; Onions, 3c to 4c;—(Portland Oregon) Times.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

MONDAY EVENING, Dec. 17, 1860.

A dealer who has long been engaged in the produce market, and is well posted in all its departments, has been busily employed the week past in collecting an account of the stocks of Flour, Wheat, Barley and Oats, stored in this city, resulting as follows, in round numbers: Flour, 30,000 bbls; Wheat, 220,000 sacks; Barley, 100,000 do; Oats, 30,000 do. The markets to-day are exceedingly dull and quiet; while the grain receipts are meagre—Candles, 100 bxs Grants at 28c; Flour, extra, \$5 60 to \$5; Superfine, \$5; Barley, \$1 17½; Oats, \$1 32½; Potatoes, sale of 2000 sacks at 17½c to 18c;—(Evening Bulletin.)

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Dec 26—Str Eliza Anderson, Fleming, Port Townsend. Str Santa Cruz, Staples, Portland. Sloop West Wind, San Juan. Sloop Harriet, Coffin, New Westminster. Bark Alma, Ferguson, London.

CLEARED.

Dec 26—Str Eliza Anderson, Fleming, Port Townsend. Sloop Harriet, Coffin, New Westminster. Sloop West Wind, San Juan.

IMPORTS.

Per Steamer ELIZA ANDERSON, from Portland—T Hurler, 172 sheep; Lamaster, 1 bbl pork; Jackson, 1 bbl butter, 1 coop chickens; Brodick, 14 bbls apples. Value—\$844.

Per Steamer SANTA CRUZ, from Portland—H Fuller, 18 sacks onions, 2 bxs apples, 1 kg dried apples, 1 bbl cider, 3 coops fowls; L G Hastings, 20 bxs apples, 1 kg dried apples; St Ours & Co, 453 -ks flour; Jan Duncan, 1 bx trees; Reinhardt, Myers & Co, 800 sacks flour; To master, 4 chs iron, 1 kg iron; Edgar and Alme, 6 kgs lard; A J Southgate and Co, 54 bxs apples, 1 ch lard; J J Southgate and Co, 54 bxs apples; Ayer and Williams, 1 sk zinc; P Lewis, 25 bxs apples; C C Pendergrast, 3 bxs mdse; Sarah Waldron, 3 coops fowls, 1 kg eggs; To order, 31 bxs eggs, 11 bbs onions, 11 bbls eggs, 2 bxs butter, 1 coop chickens. Value—\$4,692.

DIED.

In this city, on the 23d inst., Isabella Mary, infant daughter of Capt. Wm. and Mary Anne Jeffris, aged two days.

At Port Madison, on Nov. 25th, Jacob Godery, ship carpenter, about 45 years of age.

At Takela, W. T., on Thursday, 20th Dec., Mary E. wife of Daniel Longfellow, and daughter of Hiram and Mary Harmon, East Machias, Maine.

BIRTH.

On the 19th inst., Mrs. Wilson Waddingham, of New Westminster, of a daughter.

NATHAN POINTER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

GOVERNMENT STREET,

in the lower story of

British Colonist Fire-Proof Building,

Two doors South of the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.

Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent Shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia.)

Just received, the latest styles of

BALTIC SHIRTS,

from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hosiery, Gaiter Shaker Flannel Undershirts and Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony

Wool Shirts and Drawers,

White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment Gents Superfine Manchester Gingham Shirts, a magnificent assortment of

GENTS SILK SCARFS,

a new style of Gents Fine Cassimere Comforters and Opera Scarfs, the latest styles of Davis & Jones' celebrated superfine patent

White and Colored Shirts,

and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful

BYRON SHIRTS,

of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the neck. Ladies should call and examine those

Baltic Stockings,

for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guarantee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of

British Columbia & Puget Sound.

I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, ex Green. A fine lot of

GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,

for the Fall and Winter trade.

—ALSO—

a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas, high finish. The Gloves consist of some 75 dozen pairs, of various kinds. The Crimean Blue Over-shirts, weighing two and a half pounds, with double backs. We study to please. Business hours, from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M.

Bank OF British North America.

ESTABLISHED IN 1836.

Incorporated by Royal Charter in 1840

CAPITAL—\$5,000,000.

VICTORIA BRANCH.

SPECIAL DEPOSITS received in sums of \$100 and upwards, repayable on demand. Charge for safe keeping, ONE-QUARTER OF ONE PER CENT. PER MONTH.

GOLD DUST received for safe keeping at the rate of FIVE CENTS PER OUNCE PER MONTH.

Drafts Issued on London,

60 days after sight, at the rate of \$1 95 per £1 stg. 3 days after sight, (IN SUMS OF 450 AND UPWARDS)..... \$5 per £1 stg.

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DRAFTS on demand or at short sight, issued on the Principal Cities and Towns in Scotland and Ireland, at the rate of \$5 15 per £1 stg.

DRAFTS on the Principal Cities in the North American Provinces, at 3 days sight, as follows:—

Canada,..... 4 per cent. premium. New Brunswick, 4 per cent. do. Nova Scotia,..... 2½ per cent. do.

Drafts on New York, at 3 days sight, 3 per cent. prem. " " Messrs. B. Davidson & May, San Francisco, at sight—Par.

OFFICE HOURS, 10 to 3—SATURDAYS 10 to 1. F. W. WOOD, Manager.

Victoria, Feb. 3d, 1860.

NESBITT & CO.,

Corner of Broad and Yates streets.

THE ABOVE MENTIONED FIRM having just received the latest and best machinery, are prepared to fill all orders for

PILOT BREAD,

NAVY BREAD,

SODA CRACKERS,

Sugar Crackers, Butter Crackers

PICNIC CRACKERS,

WATER CRACKERS,

At the shortest notice and most reasonable rates. A large and fresh assortment constantly on hand.

DIARIES FOR 1861.

A fine assortment of

POCKET DIARIES

AND

DAILY JOURNALS,

For Counting House and Office use, just received and for sale at

HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S, Stationers' Hall.

THE CELEBRATED

JAPANESE SALVE

For sale by the Agents,

CURTIS & MOORE, Druggists, Yates street.

Wright & Sanders, ARCHITECTS,

Office: Yates Street, Victoria.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The First Annual Masonic Ball

...OF...

Victoria Lodge No. 1085

of A. F. and A. M.

UNDER THE

United Grand Lodge of England.

Will be given

On St. JOHN'S DAY,

THURSDAY, Dec. 27th, 1860.

AT THE

COURT HOUSE, JAMES' BAY,

(By permission of His Excellency the Governor.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

J. J. SOUTHGATE,
Geo. FRANKS,
A. DECOMOR,
I. FRANKLIN,
T. C. NUTTALL,
W. H. THAIN,

R. BURNABY,
Thos. HARRIS,
J. N. THAIN,
M. SPORBOG,
K. GAMBITZ,
R. LEWIS.

All Master Masons wishing to appear in Regalia will please notify the Committee on Credentials, viz: J. J. Southgate, Geo. Franks, A. DeCosmos and R. Lewis.

Tickets may be had at \$10 each on application to the following Committee: J. J. Southgate, R. Burnaby, Thos. Harris, M. Sporbog, L. Franklin.

Holiday Books!

A FINE COLLECTION OF

HANDSOMELY BOUND

...AND...

ILLUSTRATED GIFT BOOKS,

Appropriate for

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Elegant Family 4to Bibles.

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CATHOLIC PRAYER BOOKS,

ANNUALS, etc., etc.

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STATIONERS' HALL.

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YATES STREET.

VICTORIA, V. I.

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AS ASSAYS OF GOLD, SILVER & ORES of every description made, and returns given within SIX HOURS, in Bars or Coin, at the option of the depositor.

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An abundant supply of

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FIRST SEMESTRIAL REPORT.

CASH RECEIVED:

Subscriptions of members.....\$568 00
Donations from members and others..... 218 70
Board, &c., from paying patients..... 48 00

Total Cash received.....\$834 70
Expenses for six months..... 567 08

Balance on hand..... 267 62
Number of members..... 114
Number of patients admitted..... 4
Sick days, aggregate..... 73
do average..... 18
Patients remaining..... 1
Number of deaths..... 0

J. H. HEMMERMAN, Secretary, pro tem.

ENGLISH HAMS AND BACON. A FEW CASES PRIME NEW YORK SHIRAZ HAMS and BACON, just received and for sale by

JANION & GREEN.

EX VICKERY.

25 HALF BASKETS DELBERG & BERGHT'S Champagne, pony bottles, a choice article, 10½ bbls Bower's XXX Bourbon Whisky, for sale by

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CONTAINING SIX COMMODIOUS ROOMS, Kitchen and Offices, lately in the occupation of the late Augustus Bull, Esq., R.N.; commands a fine view of the Harbor and Straits; good water; land 60 feet or 120 feet; to be had with or without plain but good and entirely new furniture. The buildings are substantial, and erected by the Architect, Mr. T. W. Green, within the last twelve months. For terms and further particulars, apply to J. J. P. FELLOW CREASE, Victoria, and L. LOWENBERG, Government street, Victoria. d63 101*

TO LET,

A NEAT DWELLING HOUSE, WITH

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A Desirable Residence.

TO BE SOLD OR LET ON REASONABLE terms, a new two-story House and Lot, situated on the south side of James' Bay, near the residence of William A. Young, Esq. The House contains six rooms, thoroughly finished inside and outside. For further particulars, apply to L. LOWENBERG, Land Agent, Government street.

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TO LET.

THE LARGE ROOM IN THE REAR of Stationers' Hall, Langley Street, heretofore occupied by the "Victoria Gazette," and to be occupied by HIBBEN & CARSWELL, Stationers' Hall.

n29 1m.

NEW WESTMINSTER LOTS.

A LOT TO RENT, 60x132, near Scott's Wharf, New Westminster. Good business location. A. DE COSMOS

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WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION, One of the best Stores on Wharf street. For terms, apply to MACDONALD & CO.

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M. MEYER,
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Dry Goods and Clothing Store
In the Fireproof Building next to the Bank of British North America.
Corner of Yates and Langley sts.,
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Offers an excellent assortment of the
FINEST DESCRIPTION
OF
Dry Goods
AND
CLOTHING,
GENTS'
Furnishing Goods
IN GREAT VARIETY AND EVERY STYLE,
AND OF
THE BEST QUALITY.
del 3m

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SOLE AGENT
FOR
GROVER & BAKER'S
FIRST PREMIUM
NOISELESS
FAMILY SEWING
MACHINES,
IN
BRITISH COLUMBIA
AND
VANCOUVER ISLAND,
No. 24 Yates street,
VICTORIA.
Call and examine for yourselves.
del 1m

Holiday Presents!
MARKS HAVING JUST RE-
ceived, per Pacific, a splendid assortment of
English Jewelry, is prepared to sell, at reduced
prices. His Stock consists of
DIAMOND RINGS,
DIAMOND PINS,
LADIES' BREAST PINS.
—ALSO—
Beautiful Cameo Breast Pins and Setts,
BRACELETS, CHAINS,
Silver and Gold Pencils, Charms, Silver and Gold
Thimbles, Necklaces, and Gold and Silver
Watches, Ladies' Chains, Chatte-
laines, Ladies' Watches, etc.
Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.
E. MARKS, Yates street,
Opposite Hibben & Carswell's Book Store.
N. B.—Orders from the country properly attended
to. Particular attention paid to Watch Repairing.
All work warranted.
del 1m

Quincy Hall,
YATES STREET,
Wholesale and Retail Clothing
E. HARRIS HAS JUST OPENED A
very large assortment of
Ready-made Clothing and Fur-
nishing Goods,
And is now prepared to supply his friends and the
public with the best and cheapest Goods in the city
Blankets of all kinds; Hats and Caps in every style
always on hand.
del 5m

A. BUHLER
HAS OPENED, AT THE CORNER
of Government and Trench streets, an estab-
lishment for **CLEANING and REPAIRING CLOTH-**
ING. His experience in the Quaker City for the last
sixteen years, should be a sufficient guarantee for his
workmanship. Call and examine samples of work.
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CHARLES BARRETT,
Portland, Oregon.
DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF OREGON
PRODUCE, FRUITS, etc. etc. Orders promptly
executed, and the lowest prices charged.
Refer to Capt. Hervey. Security given if re-
quired.
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MRS. KING (PUPILE OF BRINLEY
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young ladies in music, (PIANOFORTE and HARP),
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JANION & GREEN,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Foot of Johnson st., near the Bridge,
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Agents for the Liverpool Board of Underwriters
CHERRY—A few cases very superior Whitehite
in 8-lb tins, for sale by
JANION & GREEN.
del 5

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

A Merry Christmas!
'BOOMERANG INN.'
Rear of Langley Bros' Store,
YATES STREET.
P. GRIFFIN HAS GREAT PLEA-
sure in informing his friends and the public
of Victoria that he has laid in a Stock of **WINES**
and **LIQUORS**, of every brand, for the ensuing Holi-
days, which cannot be surpassed, and will be enabled
to supply Families by the gallon or bottle, at the
most reasonable rates.
He invites all persons requiring articles in his
line to favor him with a call, feeling assured that it
will lead to a continuance of their favors.
P. S.—Note the Address. del 2m

Hotel and Restaurant de France,
GOVERNMENT STREET.
THE PROPRIETORS OF THE ABOVE
Establishment having refitted and improved their
Hotel in the most substantial and elegant style, it is
now re-opened for the accommodation of travellers,
and of the public in general.
The house has been extended, the rooms enlarged,
chimneys put up, a parlor added, and many other
improvements effected, making altogether one of the
most commodious Hotels in the city.
For superiority and comfort, this house can boast
of having no equal on Vancouver Island.
The proprietors feel safe in saying to those who may
favor them with their patronage, that they are now
prepared to give entire satisfaction.
The Bill of Fare of the Restaurant will be
provided with the very best that the market affords,
and the meats cooked in the most approved style.
Large private room for parties. Dinner parties can
be got up on the shortest notice.
del 5

Miners' Restaurant,
WADDINGTON ALLEY, BETWEEN YATES AND
JOHNSON STREETS.
THE PUBLIC ARE INFORMED THAT
this well known Restaurant has been entirely
refitted and furnished, and is now open for custom.
Board and Lodgings per week. \$7 00
Best of Wines and Cigars constantly on hand.
All my old friends and customers are invited to
give me a call and partake of a dish of HAGGIES.
n7 3m **FRANCOIS FABRE.**

Notice to the Traveling Public.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PUR-
chased the Fort Hope Hotel, Bakery and Restau-
rant, would beg leave to inform the Traveling Public
that no pains will be spared to make this establish-
ment worthy of public patronage.
Their Culinary Department will be conducted by
the best Cooks, and the Boarding and Sleeping accom-
modations will be unsurpassed on Fraser River.
JOHN G. WIRTH.
LOUIS REEL.
Fort Hope, Nov. 26th, 1890 del 1 2w

OUR HOUSE.
WILLIAM H. JACKSON
WOULD INTIMATE TO HIS FRIENDS
and customers that his establishment has been
moved to a large and commodious house on Johnson
street, where the best BREAKFASTS, DINNERS and
SUPPERS can be had on the shortest notice.
Board and Lodging, \$5 00 per week.
Board alone, \$3 00 " "
Single Meal, 37 1/2 " "
December 11, 1890. del 1m

HEALTH FOR A SHILLING!
Holloway's Pills.
Headaches, Bile, Loss of Appetite, and
Lowness of Spirits.
These Pills require no interruption of business or
pleasure; they act mildly on the bowels, strengthen
the stomach, and promote a healthy action of the
liver, whereby they purify the blood, cleanse the
skin, brace the nerves, and invigorate the whole sys-
tem. They effect a truly wonderful change in debili-
tated constitutions, as they create a healthy appetite,
correct indigestion, remove bile, giddiness, head-
aches, and palpitation of the heart.
Weakness and Debility.
In cases of debility, languor, and nervousness gener-
ated by excess of any kind, whether mental or phys-
ical, the effect of these Pills is in the highest degree
bracing, renovating and restorative. They drive
from the system the morbid cause of disease; re-es-
tablish the digestion, regulate all the secretions, brace
the nervous system, raise the patient's spirits, and
bring back the frame to its pristine health and vigor.
They increase the appetite, while they secure perfect
digestion to all ordinary food, and release the invalid
from restraint in diet.
A Word to Females.
There are two periods, especially in Woman's life,
which require for safe passage, judgment and atten-
tion. Irregularity is apt at those critical times to
take place, and to lay the foundation of future dis-
ease. These Pills, safe in action, and effective in re-
sult, should be taken at certain periods, and the issue
will be marvellous both to the young and the middle
aged. They prevent nervousness, hysterics, dropsy,
and a host of similar serious disorders, by expelling
all impurities from the system, therefore none should
ever be without them.
Coughs, Colds, and Asthma,
No medicine will cure colds so quickly as these
Pills, when of long duration or settled on the chest,
or even though it has assumed the first stage of asth-
ma, they may be relied on as a certain and never
failing cure, particularly if the Ointment be well rub-
bed into the chest and throat night and morning. If
this catch the eye of any asthmatic person so bad
as even not able to lie down in bed, let him use these
two preparations for only a week, and the re-
sult will be marvellous.
Blood to the Head—Diseases of the Heart.
More persons die suddenly from diseases of the
heart than the unlearned suppose. In such com-
plaints, the bowels should always be kept well open,
and also where there is a tendency of blood to the
head. These celebrated Pills purify the blood in an
extraordinary manner, and should be taken in copious
doses when such symptoms occur, taking care not
to overload the stomach; by this means all danger
is quickly averted.
Children's Complaints.
It is not generally known, but such is the fact, that
children require medicine oftener than their parents
Three-fourths of the children die before they attain
the age of eight years. Let mothers, then, be wise,
and give to their children small doses of these in-
valuable Pills once or twice every week, in such quan-
tity as may act gently upon the system twice the
twenty-four hours. For infants, a Pill may be crush-
ed given as a powder in a little water. The gross
humors that are constantly floating about in the
blood of children, the forerunners of so many com-
plaints, will thus be expelled, and the lives of thou-
sands saved and preserved to their parents.
Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the
world for the following diseases:
Ague Dropsy Inflammation Sore Throats
Asthma Dysentery Jaundice Stone and
Bilious Complaints Erysipelas Liver Com- Gravel
Croup Catarrhs of the Bladder Female Irre- Secondary
Complaints Fevers of all kinds Lambrago Symptoms
of the Skin Bowel Complaints Piles Rheumatism Tic-Douloureux
Colic Gout Urine Tumours
Constipation Head-ache Scrofula, or Ucers
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Consump- tion of all kinds Weakness, from what- ever cause
Debility
There is a considerable saving by taking the
larger sizes.
N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in
every disorder are affixed to each Box.
del 1m **CURTIS & MOORE, Sole Agents for Van-**
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PIANO FORTES.—Two superior London
made Piano Fortes, for sale by
JANION & GREEN.
del 5

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N. MOORE & CO.
HAVE
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TO THEIR
NEW FIREPROOF STORE,
YATES STREET,
Where they offer for Sale an Entirely New Stock of
DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
Hats & Caps,
ETC.....ETC.....ETC.
Also, a full assortment of
HOSIERY
AND
Gents' Furnishing Goods
Their large and well assorted Stock enables them
to offer GREAT INDUCEMENTS TO WHOLESALE
BUYERS.
Business Hours from 7 1/2 A. M. to 8 P. M. Open
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Take Notice!
I AM PREPARED TO OFFER THE
largest and best Assortment of
GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES
Ever exhibited in Victoria, comprising
Gents' O. S. Fur Gloves, lined;
Gents' O. S. Seal Skin Gloves, lined;
Ladies' O. S. White Norway Gauntlets, for
Riding;
Gents' Mock Gauntlets;
Gents' Ringwood Gauntlets, lined;
Gents' Ringwood Gloves;
Gents' Stout Aberdeen Gloves, lined;
Gents' Buck Gloves, scarlet lined;
Gents' Wash. Norway Buck Gloves;
Gents' Cloth Mixed Costa Gloves;
Gents' Twill'd Fringe Gloves;
Gents' Patent Mode Gloves.
Ladies should call soon and examine these
Lady Franklin Gloves.
For Winter wear. Those who are afflicted with the
Rheumatism should call and examine these pure
Baltic Shirts,
Which are a certain cure; also, the heavy
Saxony Wool Drawers.
I have Drawers that will fit gentlemen standing from
six to seven feet in height. Also, a full assortment of
DRESS WHITE SHIRTS.
Gentlemen's Night Shirts.
A full assortment of
Scotch Tartan Knit Hose.
All of which Goods I shall offer cheap for cash.
CALL AND EXAMINE AT
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Government st., two doors south of the Post Office.
n23 1m
Opposition! Opposition!!
Freight Reduced to suit the Times
The favorite stern-wheel Boat
"HENRIETTA"
Will carry Freight
From New Westminster to Port Doug
At \$6.00 per Ton.
The only line carrying Freight through by Steam
Goods sent by this Boat to Harrison River, and
from thence by Sall, at the low rate of \$4 50 per ton,
until further notice.
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FOR SALE.
500 HALES CALIFORNIA OAT HAY,
400 sacks Baffey,
200 sacks Oats,
200 sacks Bran,
In lots to suit.
J. J. SOUTHGATE & Co.,
Wharf street.
n21 1m

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Greeleys' Bourbon Bitters.
THE POPULARITY OF THESE BIT-
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of which they are prepared, and the delicate combi-
nation of simple alteratives and tonics so well calcu-
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and through them to reach and cure all complaints
arising from a diseased condition of the Stomach
and Bowels.
GREELEYS' BOURBON WHISKY BITTERS
are highly nourishing and fattening, and as a Tonic
for old people, delicate ladies, convalescent patients,
and all weakly persons, they cannot be surpassed. In
all cases of Weakness or Debility, they will give im-
mediate relief, and impart a strong, healthy tone to
the system. For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion,
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Debility, Flatulency and Nausea, and all complaints
consequent upon a disordered state of the Stomach,
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Put up in Quarts and Bottles, in cases of one and two
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For sale by W. H. OLIVER, Victoria.

Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach
Bitters.—No medicine has ever achieved a higher
reputation. In every section of the country its mer-
its are known and fully acknowledged. The leading
physicians in the country have expressed their warm
approval of this preparation, as uniting all the best
qualities of a tonic and invigorant, without kindling
an appetite for alcoholic liquors. In cases of dis-
eases of the digestive organs, to which all unaccus-
tomed persons are from necessity, exposed, as the pro-
per diet cannot at all times be had, the Bitters will be
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remedy yet discovered. Diarrhea, Dysentery, and
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the curative properties of this medicine. No person
should be without the Bitters a single day.
For sale by all Druggists and dealers generally
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FROM PARIS,
Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur,
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Treatment of all Diseases without Mercury.
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WHOLESALE DEALERS AND IMPORTERS O
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YATES STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.
JUST RECEIVED—EX PERKINS, a large and
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Wines, Ales, Liquors, Cigars, Groceries,
CLOTHING, &c.,
Which we offer to Dealers at our usual LOW RATES.
500 mats China No. 1 Rice,
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100 bbls Self-Rising Flour;
250 mats China Sugar;
200 bbls Sandwich Island Sugar;
70 cs and bbls choice Bacon;
75 half and whole bbls extra clear Pork;
40 kils choice Butter;
50 cs Jewell & Harrison's Lard;
2100 cs Bay, Chili and White Beans;
50 chests choice Black Tea;
50 chests choice Green Tea;
200 boxes Adamantine and Sperm Candles;
100 doz Blue Overalls;
100 doz White Overalls;
100 doz fine Grey Overshirts;
50 doz Cassimere Pants;
100 gross boxes Smoking Tobacco;
50 bbls Champagne, favorite brands;
100 cs Wolfe's Biscuits and Voltaire's Schnapps
50,000 lbs Cheesing Tobacco, assorted brands, at
New Westminster, which we offer to dealers at low
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Ales, Wines, Liquors, Cigars,
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All of which will be sold
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REINHART & BRO.,
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JACOB VAN HORN'S
CENTURY WHISKY,
Put up in extra Barrels and Half Barrels.
JACOB VAN HORN'S
FOREST LAWN WHISKY
In handsome Glass Jugs, one dozen in a case.
MY TWO ABOVE BRANDS OF CHOICEST
Old Rye Whisky stand unrivalled for purity
and high flavor, and will be found far superior to any
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Having now an Agency in San Francisco, my pure
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I warrant none shipped under Four Years old.
JACOB VAN HORN.
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WILL INSURE TREASURE
From all navigable points for Steamboats on
Fraser River to Victoria,
ON MODERATE TERMS.
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Or Ballou's Agents at New Westminster, Hope,
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Yates street, Victoria.
Town Lots in Victoria and Esquimalt, and
Farming Lands, Merchandise, &c., disposed of by
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Importer and Dealer in
PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS,
Varnish, Turpentine, Glue, White Lead, Brushes,
Gold Moulding, etc.
del 7 **W. T. BALLOU.**

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS
Albert Wharf,
VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND
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J. D. CARROLL,
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(BETWEEN WHARF AND GOVERNMENT STS.)
IMPORTER.
—AND—
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER
—IN—
Wines and Liquors,
Now Offers for Sale the Following
CHOICE BRANDS.

10 Puncheons Scotch Whiskey,
10 " Jamaica Rum;
10 " Swain & Board's Old Tom Gladi
15 pipes Holland Gin;
15 casks Sazerac Cognac;
10 " J. Robins' Cognac;
10 " Martel Cognac;
15 " Seligette Cognac;
25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey
50 bbls Alcohol
50 casks American Brandy;
25 bbls Alsopp & Sons' Burton Ale;
50 bbls Oregon Old;
150 cases Swain and Board's Old Tom
300 cases London Dock Cognac Brandy;
20 cases London Club House Gin;
50 " Wolfe's Schnapps;
100 cs V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin
50 " Absinthe Suisse;
50 " Vermouth Rivoire;
50 " Scotch Whiskey, Robt Thin;
150 cases Claret Wine
50 " John Durand Haut Sautern
10 bbls D. Gordon Sherry Wines;
10 " Crown Port Wine;
25 baskets Heidsieck Champagne
10 " Heidsieck Champagne, unts-
25 cases Rosenbaum's Bitters;
25 " Hostetter's Bitters;
15 " Turner's Forest Wine Bitters;
25 " Boker's Bitters;
50 " Ginger Wine;
150 cases Turner's Assorted Syrups;
100 casks Bass' Porter, 4 doz. each
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Orders from any part of the COUNTRY punctu-
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Wholesale Dealers and Importers
OF
WINES,
LIQUORS, ALES, ETC.,
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JAS. HENNESSY'S FINE PALE BRANDY,
Vintage 1850;
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Alex. Seignette Brandy, in quarters and eighths;
American Whisky, Brandy, etc;
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Harve's Scotch Whisky;
Old Bourbon Whisky;
Superior Old Tom;
Superior Holland Gin;
Superior St. Croix Rum;
Choice Old Port Wine;
Choice Old Sherry Wine;
Claret in bulk;
Do. in cases;
Champagne (E. Cluquot), quarts and pints;
Do. Louis Lareux & Co., qts and pts;
Do. Dubcek & Berghis, in halfpints;
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Sachem, Boker's, Seller's and other Bitters;
Syrups, Cordials, Ciger, Schnapps, Wormwood,
Etc., Etc.
—ALSO—
7 bales Choice Hops.
For sale low by
RYCKMAN & MARKS,
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LESTER & GIBBS
HAVE JUST RECEIVED EX W. B. SCRAN
TON, and recent arrivals:
100 boxes Cakes;
100 bbls Self-Rising & Golden Gate Flour;
300 lbs Bacon (choice);
25 firkins Hope Butter;
20 sacks Java Coffee;
25 sacks Rio Coffee;
10 chests superior Black Tea;
20 bbls Crushed Sugar;
Lobsters; Oysters;
Worcester Sauce; J & H Lard;
Pickles; Syrups, &c.
In store and for sale at low rates by
LESTER & GIBBS,
Yates street, near Waddington.
N. B.—A choice lot of FRESH BUTTER for Family
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FOR SALE EX RECENT ARRIVALS.
50 CASES TENNANT'S PALE ALE
(qrts).
30 casks Tennant's Strong Ale (qrts).
20 casks Jud & Cope's Burton Ale (qrts).
20 casks Lyle's Pale Ale (pals).
10 casks Oregon Old;
200 cases Old Tom,
20 cases Davenport's Wheat Whisky,
25 cases Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry,
25 cases Superior Brandy,
50 cases Booth & Sedgwick's Gin,
25 cases Cherry Cordial,
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